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Tuesday Morning, Jan. 15, 1850.

MEETING FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE HUNGARIAN REFUGEES.

Agreeably to previous notice, a meeting was held last evening in the Rotunda of the St. Louis Exchange, for the purpose of devising measures towards rendering assistance to the unfortunate political exiles who, in consequence of the disastrous result of the Hungarian struggle for independence, have been compelled to seek an asylum on American soil. The attendance was not so large as we might have desired, owing doubtless to the lack of publicity that had been given to the call. The spacious Rotunda was handsomely festooned with the American, Hungarian, French, German and Italian flags.

At 7 o'clock Dr. Kovolethie opened the meeting with some judicious and well-timed remarks. He observed that the gathering, although ostensibly called in behalf of the Hungarian refugees, had likewise for its object the tender of welcome and assistance to all political exiles who had expatriated themselves in consequence of the melancholy issue of the last great struggle for European liberty.

The meeting was then called to order, by nominating the Hon. A. D. Crossman, Mayor of the city, President.

Vice Presidents: Recorders Genois, Baldwin, Seuzeneau, Messrs. Clark, Fabre, Deiber, Cook, McCormick; Bell, Hooper, Collins, Fianders, Emerson, Padrey and Hermann.

Secretaries: Judge A. Walker and F. Brichta.

A motion having been made to draft resolutions, the chair appointed Messrs. Sigur, Clark, Willman, Brichta, Puncki and Kavaleski on the committee.

A loud call being then made for Mr. Frost, it was most eloquently responded to in a speech of some twenty minutes' duration, in which that gentleman depicted in most forcible language the melancholy and prostrate condition of Hungary.

After concluding, the committee reported the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, The people of Hungary, by their late noble and glorious but unsuccessful efforts to emancipate themselves from the galling yoke of Austrian and Russian tyranny, merit the sympathy of all true lovers of liberty—and

Whereas, The recent events in Europe, whereby the brave Hungarians have been crushed in their struggle for liberty, by the united arms of Austria and Russia, have thrown upon our shores a large number of these patriots, destitute of all means save and except such as God has endowed them with, viz: strong hands and willing hearts—and

Whereas, It is the pride and the duty of every American citizen to extend the hand of welcome to each and every patriot and exile whom foreign oppression has forced to our land, to seek that freedom which is denied them at home—Be it therefore

Resolved, That we, the citizens of New Orleans, deeply sympathize with those brave Hungarians and others, for their manly and noble though unsuccessful struggle for liberty, against the combined hordes of Russia and Austria.

Resolved, That we extend to all the patriots of Europe, who have sought the protection of our Republican institutions, a welcome such as freemen alone can extend.

Resolved, That with a view of affording relief and assistance to the many refugees from Europe who are now in our city, without the means of support, a special committee of ten from each Municipality be appointed by the Executive committee for the purpose of collecting the necessary funds.

Resolved, That the chair also appoint a permanent committee of five, to be styled the Executive committee, whose duty it shall be to receive the funds from the collecting committees and assist those European political refugees, who are now, or may hereafter arrive in our city; and to devise the best mode to form a colony where they will find a permanent home, and be protected from want.

Resolved, That the Executive Committee be also authorized to solicit and receive from the hands of those who now hold the same, the funds which were originally collected in this city to assist the patriots in their struggle in Europe, and which have not as yet been appropriated.

The chair filled up the blank by the names of the following gentlemen, as an Executive Committee: Dr K. Kavaleski, P. Willman, J. Parveky, J. L. Sigur and F. Brichta.

Mr. Frost then offered the following resolution, which, together with the above, were adopted by acclamation:

Resolved, That the citizens of New Orleans perceive with high approbation, the movement in the Senate of the United States, in reference to the cessation of all diplomatic intercourse with Austria. That the conduct of Austria, in the war with Hungary is in violation of the genius of the age, contrary to the laws of war, and places them beyond the pale of equality with those nations who claim to be civilized.

Dr. John Lange, a gentleman attached to the staff Surgeon of the Hungarian army, then addressed the meeting in German, and was followed by Mr. J. G. Bryce, of Alexandria, who, after loud and repeated calls, made a brief but most eloquent and effective speech.

Mr. John Fischer, a lawyer from Bavaria, then spoke in German, as did also Dr. Heritzka, a physician, formerly attached to the army of Gen. Bem.

The concluding remarks were made by Mr. M. M. Reynolds, who spoke with much feeling and warmth, and was frequently interrupted by loud applause, after which, the meeting adjourned.

CONCERT FOR THE BENEFIT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS LIBRARY.—The directors of the Second Municipality Public Schools announces a grand vocal and instrumental concert at the Lyceum to-morrow evening, the proceeds of which are to be applied to the enlargement of the Library attached to the public schools. Independently of the strong appeal which the occasion itself must make to every friend of education, the services of many distinguished artists have been secured, for the purpose of increasing the attraction. Such vocalists and performers as the Misses Malone, Mr. T. Bishop, Mrs. C. Howard, Miss Schoenburnner, together with a complete orchestra, are sufficient inducements to ensure a large attendance, if the object of the concert were not intrinsically meritorious.

FATAL RENCOUNTER IN GALVESTON.—We are indebted to a gentleman for the following extract of a letter, dated Galveston, the 10th instant:

"Within the last hour a case of killing has occurred in this city. I believe you know Dr. Robt. Neill and lawyer J. J. Mills, and you also doubtless know something of the separation between Neill and his wife, owing to her connection with said Mills. The affair has been the occasion of great scandal, and Mills has brought upon himself the indignation of our whole community, for his shameless conduct.—The case is now before our court, at present in session. Yesterday the parties met before our court and had a rencounter. Their pistols having been discharged without effect, they rushed together, and after a few blows were separated, Mills getting much the worst of it. This evening, Mills and his brother, Dr. Thomas Mills, armed themselves well, way laid Dr. Neill, and fell upon him when unarmed in the street. They discharged their weapons at him without effect. Neill retreated, procured a double-barrelled gun, and returned to meet them. It was now their turn to retreat. The Doctor pursued and discharged one barrel, a few shot striking J. J. Mills, but doing him very slight injury. He continued the pursuit, when J. J. Mills took shelter in the house where Mrs. Neill and himself now live together; Dr. Mills, meantime, taking shelter behind a board fence, concealed. In this retreat Dr. Neill passed very near him, without knowing where he was, when Dr. Mills suddenly rose upon and shot at Dr. N., within some fifteen or twenty feet, but without effect. Dr. Neill immediately levelled his gun, and discharged the contents of the remaining barrel into the thighs and groin of Dr. Mills; the shot cutting the main artery and causing death in about one hour. These, I believe, are the facts, though the occurrence is so recent and the excitement so great, that I may be liable to some error in the details."

☞ The number of deaths in Philadelphia during the year 1849, was [illegible].

☞ There are about [illegible] Germans residing in New York, and in the United States [illegible].

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

[TRANSMITTED TO THE N. O. BEE.]

New York Cotton Market.

BALTIMORE, 13th January.

The New York Cotton market closed on Saturday evening at a further advance of *one eigth to one quarter of a cent*. The sales were principally on speculation, and the *Courier and Enquirer* says that the operations are wholly independent of the foreign market, so that, if the Canada's advices should report a decline, their effect will be only momentary.

SECOND DESPATCH.

Arrival of the Canada.

FIFTEEN DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE!

Advance in Cotton—Insurrection in Servia—Probable War between Russia and Turkey.

BALTIMORE, 14th January.

Arrival of the Steamer.

The steamship *Canada*, which left Liverpool on the 29th ultimo, arrived to-day at Halifax.

Liverpool Market.

Cotton has advanced one fourth of a penny (¼) on general descriptions since the departure of the last steamer. Fair Upland is quoted at 6⅞; fair Orleans at 6¾, with an upward tendency.

Wheat has advanced two pence per 70 pounds. American Flour is unchanged.

White Corn commands from 29s. to 30s.; yellow from 28s. to 29s.

Bank of England.

The Bank of England has seventeen millions of pounds in bullion.

News from the Continent.

An insurrection has broken out in Servia. One hundred and thirty thousand men are in arms.

Numerous desertions took place daily in the Army of Observation placed on the Austrian frontiers.

Hostilities between Russia and Turkey are deemed highly probable.

MEXICO—STILL LATER.

We received yesterday files of Mexican papers a week later than those brought by the schooner *Hyperion*. Our dates from the city of Mexico are to the 29th ult., inclusive.

The state of the country appears to be unsettled, and rumors of *pronunciamentos* are continually circulated. The monarchists are growing bolder, and their organ, the *Universal*, openly advocates the overthrow of a Republican government. The party of the monarchists will be represented in the Chamber of Deputies by a respectable and able minority.

The municipal elections in the city of Mexico were not over on the 29th ult., and were creating a great deal of excitement.

There was a preliminary meeting of both Houses of Congress on the 23 h. In the Senate, Sr. Goroype obtained the nomination for President, and Sr. Rodriguez de San Miguel, for Vice President. In the Deputies, there were 74 members present. Sr. Godoy was chosen President; Sr. Gomez 1st Secretary, and Sr. Cendejas 2d Secretary.

The papers complain bitterly of the insubordination and excesses of the National Guard stationed at the capital.

The Indians of Durango continue their barbarities. On the 3d December, a band of savages carried off two women, one of whom they murdered. They likewise put to death a laborer and his daughter, and wounded several persons, and captured three children and a lady, the latter was subsequently rescued. The inhabitants of the district appear utterly powerless for defence, and the government is either unable or unwilling to help them. In New Leon similar atrocities are of frequent occurrence. In Coahuila alone has anything like organized resistance been attempted.

The city of Mexico is now furnished with a regular night watch, and every number of the *Monitor* contains about a column of local intelligence, touching the arrest of thieves and vagabonds. This is an improvement, certainly.

Smuggling is carried on to an immense extent in the ports of Mexico. The *Monitor* urges upon the Congress about to assemble the expediency of prompt and effectual measures for its suppression.

The Governor of Queretaro has brought upon himself a large share of public odium, by his arbitrary and tyrannical conduct. He has imprisoned several editors, and persecuted all who [illegible] Congress is called upon by the press of the capital to remove and punish him without delay.

On the morning of the 26th ult. a placard was found posted at the corners of the streets of the capital, denouncing the monarchists in terms of terrific vehemence, and concluding with the ominous phrase, "*Mueran los Monarchistas!*"

Later news from Yucatan had been received at Mexico. The insurgents had been worsted in several skirmishes, and were gradually withdrawing to the southern part of the peninsula. The war, it is supposed, will soon be terminated, in consequence of the disunion and discord prevalent among the invaders.

The Legislature of Tobasco adjourned on the 3d December, to re-assemble on the 20th of January, for the purpose of deliberating upon various constitutional reforms, and upon the establishment of public schools.

The Monplaisir troupe is in Mexico, and meets with brilliant success.

FROM THE RIO GRANDE.—We have received the Rio Grande *Sentinel* of the 2d ult., published at Brownsville. The only item of news it contains is the following:

LOSS OF STEAMER COL. CROSS.—The steamer *Colonel Cross*, Captain King, on her downward trip, a few days since, while near the rancho de los Lopez, ran foul of a snag and was sunk. The boat, we understand, is a total loss, her engine only saved. We regret this accident exceedingly. The *Cross* was a fine boat, and was doing a good business in the trade of the Upper Rio Grande, her commander, Captain King, having the esteem of the mercantile community.

LATER FROM ST. DOMINGO.—Capt. Curtis, of the brig Washington, at New York from Port au Prince, which place he left on the 15th ult., reports that the Emperor Faustin I. had arrived from the South, and that nothing had been heard of the Haytien or Dominician fleet. The Empress had a great church feast, which was attended by all the nobility. Business was somewhat better. The merchants who have had the privilege of weighing with their own scales have had it taken from them by the government. All was quiet when Capt. C. left.

DRY DOCK SUNK.—We are sorry to learn that on Saturday night last the large floating dry dock at Algiers was sunk. The dock had been somewhat depressed, so as to admit a vessel that required repairing, but in attempting to float it, it was discovered that the water was entering by some unknown opening. All attempts at raising the dock proving ineffectual, it was suffered to sink in deep water. The loss is estimated at $12,000.

DEATH OF THE ELDEST INHABITANT.—The last [illegible] (Ga.) *Banner* announces the death of Mr. [illegible] Hall, of Franklin county, who died on [illegible] July last, in the one hundred and nine[illegible] year of his age, leaving on the premises [illegible] he resided at the time of his death a son [illegible]-six years of age, a granddaughter forty-four years of age, and a great grand-daughter twenty-two years old.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN WASHINGTON.—On the morning of the 6th ult., a fire broke out in a large frame stable and coach-house, in Fourteenth street, Washington, which were entirely destroyed, together with thirty horses, two handsome carriages, seven omnibuses, two buggies, and two carryalls. The adjoining brick dwelling and frame stables of Mr. Philip Butler, were also consumed, and the inmates of the house were not saved without difficulty. The loss in property is estimated at $16,000.

☞ It has been computed, says the *Public Ledger*, that the United States have a frontier line of 10,710 miles, a sea coast of 5,400 miles, a lake coast of 1,160 miles. One of its rivers is twice as long as the Danube, the largest river in Europe. The Ohio is 600 miles longer than the Rhine, and the noble Hudson has a navigation in the "Empire State" one hundred and twenty miles longer than the Thames. Within Louisiana are bayous and creeks, almost unknown, that would shame, by comparison, the Tiber or Seine. The State of Virginia alone is one-third larger than England. The State of Ohio contains three thousand square miles more than Scotland. The harbor of New York receives the vessels that navigate rivers, canals and lakes, to the extent of three thousand miles, equal to the distance from America to Europe. From the capital of Maine to the "Crescent City" is two hundred miles farther than from London to Constantinople, a route that would cross England, Belgium, a part of Prussia, Germany, Austria, Turkey.

[From the New York Mirror.]

FRANKING PRIVILEGE OF POSTMASTERS.—The information contained in the following letter from the Second Assistant Postmaster General, is important to the public in general, and to newspaper publishers in particular. We trust it will relieve all deputy postmasters from any further "conscientious scruples" in regard to franking remittances for newspaper subscriptions:

NEW YORK MIRROR OFFICE, 1849.

DEAR SIR: The enclosed paragraph, stating that postmasters are not permitted by law to forward subscriptions to newspaper publishers free of postage, I have republished in the Mirror, though doubting that the authority comes, as stated, from the Assistant Postmaster General. I have taken the liberty, therefore, to inquire if the statement put forth in the paragraph alluded to has received the official sanction of the Department. In the hope that no such oppressive construction has been put upon the law, or rather that no such law exists,

I have the honor to remain,
Your friend and servant,
H. FULLER.

To Hon. FITZ HENRY WARREN,
Assistant Postmaster General, Washington.

POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
Appointment Office, Dec. 31, 1849.

SIR: The Postmaster General, after careful consideration of the question as to the right of Postmasters that have the privilege of franking to frank letters to publishers of newspapers, covering money for subscriptions or the names of subscribers; has decided that, when the Postmaster is agent for the publisher, he has the power to frank such letters, and his agency will be presumed from the fact that he franks them. As no postmaster has any authority to frank these communications but when he is such an agent, it is proper to regard him in that capacity when he so conducts, until information is received to the contrary. In doing this business the postmaster must be regarded as entirely the agent of the publisher, and not of the Department.

Very respectfully, &c.
FITZ HENRY WARREN.
H. FULLER, Esq., Editor of the Mirror, New York.

HORRID MURDER.—Silas M. Catching, an old and respectable citizen of Pike county, Miss. was shot while in bed, early on the morning of the 28th December, and died from the effects of the wound thus received, in about an hour and a half. Suspicion rested upon one of his slaves, who was immediately taken up, when he confessed the awful crime and told where he had concealed the gun with which he perpetrated the murder.

MORE RUNAWAY SLAVES—*Mock Philanthropy*.—Every day but swells the number of absconding slaves from Maryland. The Cecil Democrat states that eight more, belonging to the estate of the late Washington Hall, of the upper part of that county, absconded a few nights since. The heirs of Mr. Hall have offered a reward of $1000 for the apprehension and conviction of the individual who enticed them away, who is believed to be a well known abolitionist of Chester county, Pa. Here is another paragraph on the subject:

Runaway Slaves.—There has been a lull in the business of the underground railroad in this vicinity for a month or so past, but within this week or two has brisked up again. Last week a slave man and woman made their escape, from near Camden, Del. Constable Moody arrested a slave man in the cars who belongs to Mr. Auld, a son of the former owner of Frederick Douglass. On Sunday last a slave man and woman (husband and wife) arrived in this city, much worn down, from the neighborhood of Millington, Md. The abolitionists did not succeed in getting them off until last Tuesday or Wednesday.—*Wilmington (Del.) Chicken.*

In connection with this, the following from Cecil Whig, is a practical illustration of "fanatical philanthropy":

Back Again.—John Jackson, colored man, committed some time since to Elkton jail as a runaway, and discharged without a claimant, was committed again, shortly after, for coming into the State contrary to law. His fine and prison charges were paid by the Philadelphia Emancipation Society, and he was taken to that city, but came back again, in a few days, and was again committed to prison, where he still remains, to be sold shortly into slavery for again violating the laws of this State. It is not singular, that with a full knowledge of the law in such cases he should return again to certain bondage! It is, and we cannot account for it, except in his own words. He says he was set down in the streets of Philadelphia, without lodgings, or anything to eat; that he could get no work, and therefore he returned.

THE CALIFORNIA MAILS.—A number of merchants of Boston, having represented to the Hon Mr. Collamer, that injury has resulted to that community from the delay of the U. S. mail at Chagres, a letter has been received from the Postmaster General, in which he replies as follows:

"The Government have made provision by contract made by the Navy Department, under express law, for the conveyance of the mails in certain steamers from Panama and Chagres, on each ocean, in each month; and by treaty, for the conveyance of them across the Isthmus, by the Government of New Grenada. This is all the provision which exists by law, and it is entirely out of my power to employ other steamers in this service. If this arrangement does not satisfy the community, let application be made to Congress to make further provision themselves, or to authorise this, or some other Department, to take such other and further action as the failures of unfrequency of the present service may require, and to furnish funds, by proper and adequate appropriations for the service."

STEAMBOAT ACCIDENTS.—The steamer Moro Castle, in ascending the falls on Sunday morning, became unmanageable, struck a rock and sunk. She had two falls pilots on board at the time. She was from New Orleans bound for Cincinnati, laden principally with sugar, coffee and molasses. The water was nearly over her lower deck last evening. The New Albany ferryboat and the steamer Emily went to her assistance, and brought some of her freight to the wharf. Her freight for Louisville she discharged at Shippingport, to lighten, for the purpose of coming over the falls. Her deck load was all saved. She had in her hold about 100 hhds. sugar and several hundred bbls. of molasses. The former will be lost. The ferry-boat was still alongside of her last evening, taking off freight. Her machinery and cabin fixtures will be saved. The Moro Castle was owned by her commander, Captain Scott, and insured at Cincinnati for $9,000.

The steamer Buckeye, in ascending the falls yesterday, with a laden barge in tow, ran aground, and will have to remain there until a rise in the river floats her off. The barge is also aground. The Emily went to her assistance and took some of her freight off.

The steamer Silas Wright grounded on Saturday, after having ascended the falls and when nearing the wharf, but she was got off.

Louisville Journal.

FROM DESERET.—A late letter from Frederick Rohrer, a "great Salt Lake City" correspondent of the St. Joseph (Mo.) *Gazette*, contains the following:

"The only bad road to this place is about forty miles, running across the 'Utah Mountains.' We could travel but ten miles each day. From Fort Kearney to the mountains, say one thousand miles, the road is as good as any in the States, and for two hundred miles after leaving the South Pass it is as good as any turnpike.— * * This is a beautiful country, and one of the finest climates in the world, equal to that of Italy. The city is laid out in large wards, the houses being about one hundred yards apart. Each ward is enclosed with a straight fence and is in perfect cultivation, which gives the city somewhat the appearance of a town. The wards are all irrigated by leading water from the mountains, in small channels, running in every direction. The crops look well. Corn, though not as good as ours, grows finely.—Wheat is as good, if not better than ours, yielding from twenty to sixty bushels per acre. Barley and oats are also cultivated, and yield abundantly. Indeed, all kinds and every variety of vegetables flourish profusely.

"The harvest being over, the Mormons are stacking their grain, of which they have a considerable surplus, but owing to the great rush of emigrants, thousands of whom, will have to abide here until spring, a high price is asked for it—wheat $4 per bushel, flour $12 per hundred.

"We are boarding at a private house and are vegetating upon the luxuries of the valley, such as milk, butter, cheese, green corn, peas, beans, turnips, &c. The beef is the best I ever tasted.

"The water is sweet free-stone, cold as ice, and the best I ever tasted. Any quantity of it can be drank without injury, which cannot be said of any other liquid. There are several sulphur springs of pure water near the city and a warm white sulphur one used for bathing, which would make a hydropathist laugh. The water running from it would turn a mill, and is very warm, giving from its surface a continual cloud of vapor. Its medical virtues are very great, curing nearly every kind of disease, such as scurvy, itch, mange, sore eyes, rheumatism, &c., &c.; in fact, the most that is known in the 'Valley.'

"The grasses are various and luxurious; blue grass grows of the best quality and in abundance; also wild flax. * * * I can scarcely realise that I am a thousand miles from home."

BURNING OF THE BRIG MARGARET Y. DAVIS.—We learn from Captain Leavitt, of the bark Wave, from Sisal, that the brig Margaret Y. Davis, of Harrington, Me., Captain Dyer, from New Orleans, was burned on the evening of the 7th of December, whilst lying at the anchorage at Sisal. She had on board eleven hundred barrels of pork and flour. The [illegible]

City Intelligence.

STEALING CLOTHING.—Ellen Kinsey was arrested yesterday in the First Municipality, and lodged in jail to await any examination on the charge of having stolen a lot of wearing apparel from a house in St. Louis street.

LARCENY.—A man named Cannon Sterry, was arrested yesterday by the First Municipality police, charged with having stolen a skiff from Andrew Murphy. He was remanded for further examination.

STEALING MEAT.—P. Noel, a colored man, was arrested yesterday on the charge of having stolen a quantity of meat from the lower market. He was locked up to await an examination.

COMMITTED.—Wm Hicks was committed yesterday by Recorder Genois, for trial before the First District Court, on the charge of having stolen a skiff from Oscar Rice. The property was found in the possession of the accused.

STABBING.—A man named Andrew Foster, was brought up yesterday before Recorder Baldwin, on the charge of having stabbed an individual by the name of Leonard, in the face. He will be examined on Friday.

THEFT.—P. Whitehorn was arrested on Sunday, in the Second Municipality, on the charge of having stolen two coats. He was remanded for further examination.

SENT DOWN FOR TRIAL.—James Quinn was committed yesterday by Recorder Genois, before the First District Court, on the charge of having stolen a piece of cloth from the store of Mr. Walsh in Carondelet street.

ANOTHER LARGE ROBBERY.—It is absolutely necessary that a police force should be stationed at the postoffice, so as to protect the community from the depredations of pickpockets and thieves. Several robberies have occurred there of late and yesterday morning again, a gentleman by the name of Wm. W. Campbell had his pocket picked of $1670 in bank notes, several promissory notes, and two checks of $500 and $535, drawn by Samuel Nicholson and Oakey & Hawkins, on the Mechanics' and Traders' Bank. No clue to the thieves has been discovered.

STEALING FURNITURE.—Ann Gardner was arrested yesterday, in the First Municipality, at the instance of Catharine Cavanaugh, who accuses her of having stolen, some two months since, half a dozen chairs and a dressing table. The accused was remanded for further examination.

ARREST OF A FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE.—Chas. Parker, alias Parkman, charged with having committed forgeries in the city of Philadelphia, to the amount of $600, was arrested on Tuesday last by Captain Forno, of the Second Municipality police. He will be sent back for trial.

DROWNED.—Yesterday morning a skiff, containing two lads and a man, was upset opposite Lafayette. The latter, whose name is Apsel, clung to a log and was rescued in an exhausted state, but the two others were unfortunately drowned.

ACCIDENT.—One of the workmen engaged on the Second Municipality Hall, fell off yesterday from the scaffolding and was dangerously injured. He was conveyed up to the Hospital.

GENERAL-COUNCIL.

Sitting of Thursday 10th January 1850.

The Council met this day, pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Beebe was called to the chair.

Members present—Messrs. Allan, Beebe, Caldwell, Culbertson, Jarvis, Surgi, Tompkins and Theard—8.

Absent—Messrs. Benit, Roselius, Vionnet and Vandegrift—4.

On motion, the Council proceeded by ballot to the election of a President.

Messrs. Culbertson and Jarvis being appointed tellers, it appeared that of 8 votes,

Mr. Beebe had received..........7
Blank..........1

Consequently Mr. Beebe was declared duly elected President of the Council.

On motion, the meeting of the journal of the last sitting was dispensed with, and the President authorized to sign the same.

The following message from the Mayor was read:

MAYORALTY OF NEW ORLEANS, January 10, 1850.

Gentlemen:—Enclosed I hand you a letter from Mr. D. Saucier, keeper of the powder magazine, relative to a brick house formerly occupied by him, now between the fascine work of the crevasse and new levee, to which I would call your attention.

I would inform your honorable body that I have been spoken to by the collectors of Taxes on Drays, &c., relative to the reduction of the fee for branding, which being so much below that of last year as to be hardly a compensation.

(Signed) A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor.

Mr. D. Saucier's letter was read, stating that the brick house once occupied by him is now between the fascine work of the crevasse and the new Levee, and will ere long be in the water, and recommends that it be rebuilt within the powder house yard, which he states parties have offered to do for five hundred dollars.

In relation thereto, Mr. Surgi presented the following resolution, which was on motion, the rules being suspended, adopted:

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to have the brick house alluded to, the keeper of the Powder Magazine's letter of the 20th December, 1849, rebuilt for the price mentioned in said letter.

In reference to the second paragraph in the Mayor's message, Mr. Caldwell moved to fix the price of branding drays, &c., at 30 cents.

Mr. Allan moved to amend by making the rate forty cents. The amendment of Mr. Allan being put to vote, was lost.

The question was then taken on Mr Caldwell's resolution, which was, the rules being suspended, adopted, as follows:

Resolved, That the resolution passed at the sitting of this Council, on the 13th December last, fixing the rate of branding drays, carts, &c. [illegible] amended so as to read thirty cents in lieu of twenty.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

The Council took up the ordinances presented at last sitting by Mr. Jarvis, relative to the keeping of Gunpowder in the city. "New Orleans. Also an ordinance for the regulation of the Powder Magazine of the city of New Orleans, which, after being discussed and amended, were, the rules being suspended, adopted as follows:

An Ordinance relative to the Keeping and Sale of Gunpowder in the City of New Orleans.

Art. 1. From and after the promulgation of this ordinance, it shall not be lawful for any person to keep any gunpowder, or offer for sale any quantity of gunpowder in the city without having previously obtained a license for that purpose.

Art. 2. The Mayor shall grant licenses to vendors of gunpowder by retail, who shall be permitted to have on hand no greater quantity than 30 pounds at any one time, said powder to be kept in a tin or copper canister labelled "Powder," in large letters, and which canisters shall be kept on a shelf, in sight and within 10 feet of the main entrance of the store; for the above license the sum of ten dollars shall be paid annually in advance.

Art. 3. The Mayor shall likewise grant licenses to vendors of gunpowder by wholesale, who may keep on hand 100 pounds, and no more at any one time, and who shall not be authorised to sell any quantity less than a package; Provided that all powder shall be kept in kegs or canisters carefully kept in a chest made of copper, riveted and with handles, the chest to be labelled "powder" in large letters in front and on top, and to be placed on the ground floor within ten feet of the main entrance. The charge for this license shall be twenty five dollars, payable annually in advance.

Art. 4. Dealers in powder shall have a sign in large letters containing the words "Licensed to Sell Powder," by retail or wholesale, as the case may be, said sign to be placed over the main entrance; or two smaller signs with letters 2 1-2 inches as placed on each side of the entrance.

Art. 5. All boats employed in the conveyance of gunpowder shall have displayed at the stern or bow a red flag so long as there is any gunpowder on board, and all powder so conveyed, shall be covered over with canvas or other suitable covering.

Art. 6. Steamboats or other vessels receiving powder at the city of New Orleans, in quantity exceeding 50 pounds, shall not be permitted to remain at any wharf in the city for a period exceeding four hours after said powder is on board, and no steamboats or other vessel having over 50 pounds of gunpowder on board shall be permitted to remain at any of the wharfs after sunset.

Art. 7. No boat or water craft employed in carrying powder, for delivery in the city, shall be permitted to touch or make fast to any of the wharves, unless such boat be decked so as to cover the powder, and the quantity on board does not exceed 12 kegs of 25 lbs. each. The harbor master shall designate the place of landing for powder in each Municipality.

Art. 8. It shall be the duty of all dealers in powder to deliver to the captains or clerks of steamboats or other vessels receiving powder, a copy of this ordinance, with each shipment.

Art. 9. No person or firm to be allowed to pack up powder for shipment.

Art. 10. Powder carried through the city must be placed in a tight covered chest, or in bags, and no dray or cart shall carry at any one time over two hundred pounds.

Art. 11. Any person or persons violating this Ordinance, shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars, or more than one hundred dollars, for each and every offence, recoverable before any competent tribunal, one half for the benefit of the Municipality in which the offence is committed, and the other half for the benefit of the informer.

Art. 12. The Mayor shall have a copy of the State of Louisiana, as found in Warfield's Digest, pages 6 and 7, and article 18 of an ordinance concerning the port of New Orleans, approved February 22, 1827, and also a copy of this ordinance, and of the ordinance relating to the Powder Magazine, printed on a sheet with the licenses issued according to the 2d and 3d sections of this ordinance.

Art. 13. The ordinance entitled "An Ordinance relative to the keeping and sale of Gunpowder in the city of New Orleans, approved 10th February, 1844, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

An Ordinance for the Regulation of the Powder Magazine of the City of New Orleans.

Art. 1. *Be it ordained by the General Council of the City of New Orleans*, That, from and after the promulgation of this ordinance, the Powder Magazine shall be opened at sunrise, and closed at sunset, except in urgent cases of emergency, when the Mayor shall deem it necessary.

Art. 2. No person shall be permitted to enter the Powder Magazine, for the purpose of depositing therein, or receiving therefrom, powder, except the owner of such powder, or their duly authorised agents.

Art. 3. All persons entering the Powder Magazine shall be obliged to use such precautions as the superintendent of said magazine may require.

Art. 4. The superintendent of said magazine shall deliver no powder, except at the written request of the owner, or his duly authorized agent; and such delivery shall be made on the Levee.

Art. 5. All powder intended for the Powder Magazine, shall be landed on the Levee, in front of the wharf of the magazine.

Art. 6. The superintendent shall be entitled to charge the sum of three cents for each and every keg of 25 lbs. powder received and delivered by him, by virtue of the two foregoing articles.

Art. 7. The charge of storage in the magazine shall be at the rate of forty cents for each hundred pounds, for every calendar month, and the same for all fractions of month, except for that powder received for shipment, in lots of not less than one hundred kegs, which shall be subject to a charge of twenty-five cents per hundred pounds, provided it is taken out within fifteen days, and in the same lots as received; storage payable monthly.

Art. 8. Any person or persons violating this ordinance, shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty five dollars or more than one hundred dollars, for each and every offence, recoverable before any competent tribunal; one half for the benefit of the city, and the other half for the benefit of the informer.

Art. 9. The ordinance relative to powder, approved May 2d, 1843, (Warfield's Digest, page 126,) is hereby repealed.

On motion of Mr. Jarvis, the resolution presented by him at the last sitting, relative to the deposit of oil of vitriol and aqua fortis, was laid on the table.

LEVEES AND PAVEMENTS.

A communication from Mr. J. L. Quemper, Collector of [illegible] Police Jury, [illegible]

[illegible]

Parish of Orleans for N. O. Light Co., ... $1178 80
Do. ... 355 85
Do. to J. Peters, work in Supreme Court, ...
Parish of Orleans do do ... 21 00
Second District Court, ... 3 25
Parish of Orleans do do ...
Third District Court, ... 304 00
Parish of Orleans do do ...
Fifth District Court ... 96 00

An account from Dr. Hester was read, as follows:

To acting as Secretary of the Board of Health, from 1st September to 31st December, 1849, being four months, ... $333 33

On motion, the claim of Dr. Hester was laid on the table.

The following account of the Orleanian was read:

Municipality No. One to the Orleanian office Dr. Oct. and Nov. 1849—To advertising notices, precincts, etc., in French and English, 20 days, ... $208 00

On motion, (the account being addressed to Municipality No. One,) was laid on the table, subject to call.

An account from the Syndic of the Police Jury, right bank of the Mississippi, parish of Orleans, was read, claiming $1617 83 100, for expenses incurred at the late crevass fronting the powder magazine. On motion, said account was referred to the Committee on Claims.

A letter from Mr. J. A. Quemper, Assessor (elect) of the Sixth Representative District, offering Mr. Felix H. Lone as his security, was read, and on motion, the Secretary was instructed to hold the same subject to the order of the writer, as in its present form the Council could not act on it.

Mr. Culbertson presented an account of the Louisiana Courier, for advertising, by John L. Lewis, Esq., election notices of 5th Nov. last, ... $330

Also, notice to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of M. M. Reynolds, Esq., ... 36

On motion, the same was referred to Committee on Claims.

Mr. Culbertson moved to reconsider the vote on the bill presented by the Orleanian, which was granted, and on motion the same was referred to the Committee on Claims.

CALL OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Surgi, on behalf of the Committee on Court-Houses and Prisons, presented the following preamble and resolution, which were, the rules being suspended, adopted:

The Committee on Court-Houses and Prisons, after due examination, by leave, report that they found the following bills correct, to-wit:

Chittenden & Dameron, curtains for 3d and 4th District Courts, ... $69 31
Heloise Blache, making curtains, ... 30 00
Demailly, glazing court houses, ... 37 00
J. Peters, glazing, 4th District Court, ... 13 75
J. Perera, two desks and shelving General Council, ... 56 00
$226 66

(Signed) L. SURGI, Chairman, GEORGE ALLAN.

Your Committee offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue his warrants in favor of the above named persons, payable pro rata by the three Municipalities, according to law.

Mr. Tompkins, on behalf of the Special Committee, presented the following report and ordinance, which ordinance, on motion, was read by its title, ordered to be published in the proceedings, printed, and made the order of the day for next sitting:

To the President and members of the General Council of New Orleans:

Your Committee, to whom was referred the petition of merchants, ship masters, &c., relative to runners of boarding houses, lodging houses, &c., beg leave to report the following ordinance and resolution, for your consideration.

(Signed) WM. C. TOMPKINS, Chairman, JOHN CULBERTSON.

An ordinance concerning runners of boarding houses.

Be it ordained by the General Council of the city of New Orleans—

Art. 1. That from and after the first day of —next, it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to act as the agent, servant or runner of any boarding house, tavern, or lodging house within the limits of this city, without first applying to the Mayor of the city for a license, for which they shall pay the sum of one dollar, to be used in such capacity, under a penalty of not less than twenty dollars, nor more than fifty dollars for each and every offence.

Art. 2. That it shall not be lawful for any agent, servant or runner aforesaid, to enter upon any ship, barque, brig, schooner, steamboat, or other vessel, until the same shall have made fast to the Levee or without the permission of the master, under a penalty of fifty dollars, and a forfeiture of his or their license.

Art. 3. That the fines set forth in this ordinance, shall be recovered before any court of competent jurisdiction, one half for the benefit of the informer and the other half for the benefit of the municipality wherein the offence shall have been committed, and in case of non payment of said fine, the person or persons so offending shall be imprisoned for a term not exceeding one month.

Art. 4. That all ordinances contrary to the provisions of the foregoing ordinance be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Resolved, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby requested to transmit to each of the municipal councils of the city, a copy of the foregoing ordinance.

Resolved, That the said councils be, and are hereby requested to take such steps in the premises as will tend to carry into force and effect the above mentioned ordinance, and that a suitable number of public officers be placed on the Levee, with their respective limits, whose duty it shall be to bring such person or persons violating the ordinance before the Recorder, to be dealt with according to the law herein provided for.

Mr. Caldwell presented the following resolution, which was, on motion, the rules being suspended, adopted:

Resolved, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby requested, to address a letter to the President and Board of Directors of the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company, requiring them under the [illegible] of the 11th section of the act to incorporate the subscribers to the New Orleans Canal and Banking Company and for other purposes, approved 5th March, 1831, to the sum of [illegible] in reference to the construction of a Levee on the upper side of said Canal, to protect the same from overflow.

Mr. Caldwell moved that the Council reconsider the vote on the account presented by Dr. A. Hester, Secretary of the Board of Health, which motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. Caldwell, said account was referred to the committee on claims.

On motion of Mr. Theard, the Council adjourned to Thursday next, the 17th instant, at 6 o'clock p. m.

RICHARD HAGAN, Sec'ry.

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets.

MONDAY EVENING, Jan. 14, 1850.

The Cotton market wore a very quiet appearance to-day, but the sales nevertheless reached 4000 bales, at full prices. The steamer's news is anxiously looked for, and many think she will bring a decline. We think differently.

P. S. We penned the foregoing at 5 o'clock, and shortly after 7 received a despatch with the Canada's news, announcing an advance in the Liverpool market of ¼d. ☞ lb. So much is due in explanation of the fulfillment having so rapidly followed the prediction. But those who have followed our course, and are conversant with our opinions, will not be surprised at a result that we have openly proclaimed for the last fortnight. No longer than a few days since, we stated that the decline which the Cambria had brought out *was the last discouragement* which English buyers would receive for some time to come, and that it would be their own fault hereafter if they were compelled to come into the market at higher prices than their neighbors. This was published three days previous to the speculative movement that set in on Tuesday last.

In Sugar the transactions comprised 600 hhds. at former prices. Of Molasses 1200 bbls. were sold at 19 @ 19½c. ☞ gal. for Prime.

The Flour Market remains firm at previous quotations, with sales to day of 1500 bbls.

Provisions are without any material change. The advance in pork is maintained, but the transactions to day were limited. Small sales were made at the improvement last noticed; say Prime, $7 37½ @ $7 75. Lard continues in good request for shipment.

Whiskey is selling at 22½c. ☞ gallon for rectified.

Exchanges remain as last quoted. Sterling 108¾ @ 11?¼ ☞ ct. prem. Francs, 5f 33¾ @ 5f 40. Bills on New York, 60 days, 1¾ @ 2 ☞ cent dis. Checks par @ ½ ☞ cent dis.

Nothing new in Freights.

J. B. Steel,

New Orleans Stationery Warehouse, 14 Camp st.,

JUST received, the following, with many other new and interesting publications:

Roland Cashel—complete—By Chas. Lever.

The War with Mexico—By Major Ripley, U. S. A., in 2 vols., 8vo.

Ticknor's History of Spanish Literature—Vol. 1st, 8vo.

Professor Anthon's System of Ancient and Medieval Geography.

Chalmer's Institutes of Theology—Vol. 2, being the eighth of his Posthumous Works.

Fairy Tales From All Nations—By Montalba—With 24 beautiful illustrations.

The Whale and His Captors—By the Rev. H. T. Cheever. For sale by

j14 J. B. STEEL, 14 Camp st.

Re-opening of Jefferson Coffee House, Chartres street, 175.

COURVOISIER & CO.—Having bought the establishment known under the above title, respectfully inform the public and their friends that this evening, 14th inst, they will re-open said Coffee House, with a LUNCH that will leave nothing for amateurs to desire.

COURVOISIER & CO. also inform the public that they have thoroughly repaired and widened said establishment, with a large hall, and they hope that the addition of their beautiful billiard table, as well as the fine liquors which they intend to keep, will secure them the patronage of the public. j14 6t

THE subscribers being in direct correspondence with the best makers of Swiss Absynth, as E. Pernod, Yerum and Lecoultre, Berthoud fils, C. F. Berger, &c., has always on hand an assortment of their celebrated Absynth, which they offer at liberal prices. j14 J. N. CURIEN, 25 Conde street.

LANDING—ex ships Viola and Buena Vista, from Havre, 800 cases Absynth and Kirsch, of Yerum & Lecoultre, and of E. Pernod, with labels bearing the federal cross; 2 tons real Gruyere Cheese—for sale by j14 J. N. CURIEN, 25 Conde street.

RECEIVED per ship Radius, from Havre, 40 cases Absynth and Kirsch, of Berthoud fils, Couvet—for sale by j14 J. N. CURIEN, 25 Conde street.

ENTITLED TO DRAWBACK—40 cases Kirsh, imported from Switzerland—for sale by J. N. CURIEN.

L. BINOCHE,

Corner of Chartres and Customhouse streets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies that on Monday, 15th inst., he will expose for sale a large assortment of Fancy Goods, such as Silks, Bareges, and other articles, received per the last arrivals from Europe. j10 6t

French Goods.

LANDING ex ships Austerlitz, Perriere, William, Manchester, Rouennais and Radius, from Havre, and for sale at very low rates by the subscriber:—

2 cases Printed Barege;
1 do rich colors;
6 do plain assorted colors;
1 do Paris striped;
1 do Silk assorted colors;
4 do Sui Muslin and Ginghams;
3 do Tarlatan, cherry, pink, blue, white, &c.
2 do Printed Jaconets, small patterns;
6 do Printed Organdies and Jaconets;
6 do Printed Perkaline, new article;
2 do Silk Foulards and Napolitains and Cambric [illegible];
2 do Table Cloths and [illegible];
1 do [illegible];
1 do Embroidered Organdies and Muslins;
1 do Damask Muslin, for curtains;
1 do Plain and Figured Muslin, for curtains;
1 do Swiss Muslin, assorted qualities;
1 do Linen Drilling, new pattern;
1 do Plain and figured Crape;
1 do Embroidered Muslin Curtains;
1 do Lace;
1 do Embroidered Cambric Handkerchiefs;
1 do Black Merino, Drap d'Ete;
1 do Kid Gloves and Mitts;
1 do Black Lustring and Taffetas Ribbon;
1 do Parasols and colored Umbrellas;
1 do Black and White Lace Veils;
1 do Ladies' Fil d'Ecosse Stockings;
3 do Monpelas assorted Perfumery;
2 do French and Spanish Playing Cards.

j11 J. LEVOIS, 47 Chartres st., up stairs.

IN STORE and for sale by the subscriber—
100 casks Marseilles Red Wine;
35 do Chateau Grimmont;
25 do St Julien;
20 do St Emilion;
100 bbls Madeira; 150 do Oporto;
500 cases St Julien and Cote Rotie Claret;
200 do Muscat Wine;
50 do Vermicelli and Maccaroni;
1000 baskets Olive Oil 18 and 24 ounces;
50 do Champaign, blue ribbon;
15 pipes Cognac; 20 cases Green Water;
20 bbls Regular Corks, 50 lbs
100 baskets Empty Bottles, of 24 ounces;

j11 PAUL JUGE, FILS & CO, 27 St Louis st.

NEW CHART—A General Chart of the Mediterranean, Adriatic and Black Seas, together with the Grecian Archipelago, by J. W. Norie, Esq., with sailing directions, 1847. Just received and for sale by ALEXANDER LEVY & CO., Law Book Sellers and Stationers, j3 Corner of Camp and Gravier streets.

For Sale on account of Sickness.

THE Dry Goods Store at the corner of St. Philip and Conde streets. Apply on the premises to Mrs Pas de Loup, who requests the persons to whom she is indebted to present their accounts in the shortest delay, and begs those who are indebted to her to settle as soon as possible. j7 6t

RECEIVED, per late arrivals, and for sale by the subscriber—
3000 boxes and hf do Sardines in oil, R Guillou;
800 do St Julien and St Estephe Claret;
50 do Swiss Absynth, Salvajo & Bruneton;
70 do Curacoa and Marachino;
75 do Olives, 100 do salted Variantes and Pickles; 8 do Orange Flower Water; 50 do Anisette, Champion brand; 150 baskets Olive Oil, 12 bottles in each; 125 do do, 24 half bottles in each; 150 do Guignolet; 30 fraile empty Bottles; 20 boxes Marseilles Soap; 60 casks Haut Talence and Haut Brion Red Wine; 75 half do do; 100 qr casks Cognac, A Vavasseur and Castillon brand.

j7 A MOLIER, 90 St. Louis st.

SLATES.—112,000 best Pointing and 8,750 Cut-Red Slates, of assorted sizes, to arrive per Virginia and Cambria, from Liverpool, for sale on liberal terms by J. P. WHITNEY & CO. j10 61 Camp st.

LANDING—Ex ship Cephalide, from Bordeaux—800 boxes 12 bottles St. Julien and St Estephe wine; 20 Qeeyries Bordeaux wine; 50 do St Estephe Medoc do; 50 do Pauillac do; 500 half do do; 600 quarter do do; 400 boxes sardines in oil; 100,000 corks. For sale by FERBOS FRERES, d31 Corner Royal and Dumaine sts.

LANDING—Ex ship Rouennais, from Havre, and for sale by the subscribers—
100 baskets Champaign Wine, 12 bottles;
20 do do do 24 hf do,
350 do do do 6 ? do.
d31 FERBOS FRERES, Corner Royal and Dumaine sts.

Liquidation.

FROM the 1st January, 1850, the Subscriber will reduce the price of all his goods, on account of liquidation. Sale for cash only.

d23 D. B. MACARTY, 226 Bourbon st.

THE undersigned has received from New York, and offers for sale—
80 bales Wadding, light and heavy;
800 lbs the Lamp Wick;
300 lbs Cotton Twine;
2000 reams straw Paper.
j3 BERNARD TURPIN, 90 Old Levee.

SUNDRIES—Received by the Ohio, from Bremen—100 Westphalia Hams;
50 kegs Herrings in Salt;
30 do Sardels,
20 dos. Dutch Cheese;
100 do Bremen Sausages, for sale by DUNTZE & IKEN, corner Royal and Conti sts.

FRUITS, in Juice and in Brandy—The undersigned have received, by the ship Rouennais, from Havre—
20 boxes Fruits, in Juice;
10 do Brandy Fruits, for sale by DUNTZE & IKEN, Corner of Royal and Conti sts.

LANDING ex ship Manchester, from Havre—350 do Demijohns, 5 gallons; 20 do 3 gallons; 12 do 2 do; 12 do 1 do.
For sale by d21 PAUL JUGE, FILS & CO, 27 St Louis st.

HAVANA CIGARS—A large assortment of choice Cigars always on hand, for sale by j3 J. M. CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

SARDINES—Brand A. Gilles & Co., 600 boxes and 2000 half boxes, in oil, for sale by j7 B. TALAMON, 188 and 186 Royal st.

ABSYNTH—[illegible] boxes, L. A. Jeanneret brand—175 do Kerschwasser, 18 Gruyere cheese, for sale by j7 B. TALAMON, 188 and 186 Royal st.

CHAMPAIGN—[illegible] baskets of the following brands: Rainart Pere & Fils; Blue, Angle; Double Crown, Tower, Swan, Ship and Crescent, for sale by EUGENE ROCHEREAU & CO., j7 17 and 19 St. Louis street.

BLANKETS—[illegible] bales 3 points White French Blankets, for sale by E. ROCHEREAU & CO., j7 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

GROUND PLASTER—150 bbls ground Plaster, a first rate article for manure, for sale by BLOIS & PORTIER, 91 Magazine st.

FIRE CLAY—[illegible] bbls English and American Fire Clay, for sale by BLOIS & PORTIER, 91 Magazine st.

COGNAC—[illegible]

[illegible]

Linens and Hosiery.

RECEIVED—By the undersigned, a very large and complete assortment of Linen and Hosiery, consisting of Bleached and Unbleached Linen Sheetings, 6-4 8-4 10-4 and 12-4 wide; French do do 10-4 and 12-4; Pillow Case Linens, 5-4 and 6-4; Shirting Linen, expressly for family use; Toile de Paris and Easton Pillows; Pianillas and Britanias; French Damask table covers; Do. Napkins and Doylies; Damask, 6-4 8-4 and 10-4 wide; Damask Napkins, all sizes; Bleached and Unbleached Linen Towels; Diapers of all descriptions.

Hosiery.

Ladies' English and German Cotton Hose; Do do Fine and Extra sizes; Men's Bleached Cotton Half Hose; Do do, brn. and striped; Misses white and bro. Hose of all sizes; Boys' socks, bro. and striped do; Children's Fille d'Ecosse Hose, do.

☞ All the above goods having been manufactured to our order can be most highly recommended.

j15 D. H. HOLMES, Canal street, Bet. Bourbon and Dauphine.

Grand Action Piano Forte. D'ERARD.

Sent to Mr. A. Perier, in New Orleans, in order to be played by M. Strakosch.

A. PERIER, No. 292 Royal street, respectfully informs the public that he offers for sale the splendid Grand Action Piano of d'Erard, played by Strakosch, at his Concert in New Orleans. Said Piano is recommended in every respect, and has been acknowledged by amateurs as the best instrument sent to New Orleans. j15

SUNDRIES—100 casks Claret;
30 casks White Wine;
80 bbls French Vinegar; 160 cases Absynth;
150 baskets Guignolet;
175 cases Brandy Cherries;
85 cases assorted Cordials;
30 baskets Champaign;
5 cases superior Annisette;
5000 half boxes Sardines, in oil;
500 boxes do do;
250 ¼ boxes do do;
1300 half boxes small Peas;
300 ¼ boxes do do;
100 half boxes Truffles, for sale by
TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO,
j15 15t 90 Customhouse st.

FOR SALE—To arrive per ship Senatemann—4 hhds. Gruyere Cheese, 1st quality; 75 bxs Tete du Maure Cheese; 1500 Demijons, 5 gallons; and 500 of 1 gallon each. Duvi LANATA, j15 9 and 10 Jefferson st.

FOR SALE—To arrive per ship Withamet, from Marseilles—100 Bxs French Soap; 100 do Orange Flower water; 10 bales Almonds, 100 bxs Muscat Wine; 160 fraille empty bottles, by j15 Duvi. LANATA, 9 and 10 Jefferson st.

BRANDY—For sale ex ship Bengal, from Bordeaux, 25 quarts Brandy, Cognac; 25 half-pipes do. do., for sale by D. LANATA, j15 9 and 10 Jefferson st.

CHAMPAGNE WINES—100 baskets Champagne Wine, "Flag Brand;" 30 do do, "Express Brand;" 10 do do, "Mailly" B. & B. Anoy; 30 do do, "Sellery" do. In store and for sale by LEOPOLD JEANNETT, j15 22 St. Louis street.

HAVANA SEGARS.—Landing from Brig Adams Gray, from Havana, 30,000 Havana Segars, of the most celebrated brands, for sale by j15 LEOPOLD JANNETT, 22 St Louis st.

MONONGAHELA WHISKEY and ARRACK.—We lately received a superior article of old Monongahela Whiskey and Arrack, which we offer for sale in quantities to suit purchasers. j15 DUNTZE & IKEN, corner of Royal and Conti sts.

CLARET—82 casks of very good family Claret, for sale by DUNTZE & IKEN, j15 corner Royal and Conti sts.

CHAMPAGNE ON DRAWBACK—50 baskets Champagne, entitled to drawback, for sale by DUNTZE & IKEN, j15 corner Royal and Conti sts.

20 Pipes Nolet's Imperial Eagle Gin, ex brig Hope, from Rotterdam, for sale by TH. BAILLY, BLANCHARD & CO., j15 15t 90 Customhouse st.

40 CASKS Rochelle Yellow Ochre, for sale by TH. BAILLY BLANCHARD & CO. j15 26t 90 Custom House st.

FIRE BRICK—60,000 English, Baltimore and Pensacola Fire Brick, for sale by j5 BLOIS & PORTIER, 91 Magazine st.

PLASTER OF PARIS—300 bbls fresh calcined Plaster, landing and in store, for sale by j5 BLOIS & PORTIER, 91 Magazine st.

SPERM OIL—5500 gallons pure bleached and unbleached Winter Sperm Oil, for sale by J. W. STANTON & CO., j15 1w cor. Magazine and Lafayette sts.

MUSLIN & JACONETS—Landing ex ship Barkaway, from Liverpool, 15 cases printed Organdies, Muslins and Jaconets; 3 trunks real Indian Madras Hdkfs. For sale by J. LEVOIS, j14 47 Chartres st., up stairs.

AT THE DRAWBACK—50 baskets Champaign, blue ribbon; 20 cases Absynth; 200 do Olive Oil, 24 ounces; 200 do St Julien Claret, for sale by PAUL JUGE, FILS & CO, j11 27 St. Louis st.

CLARET WINE—250 boxes Claret, St. Julien, landing ex ship Cephalide, from Bordeaux, for sale by RAYMOND CABUZAC, 24 Old Levee st.

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OFFICIAL NOTICES.

Custom House, New Orleans, Collector's Office, January 10th, 1850.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by me until the 25th instant, for making the repairs and improvements to the several Light Houses and premises pertaining thereto, hereinafter named, conformably with the following specifications:

All the work must be done in a substantial and workmanlike manner, and must be approved by the respective Keepers of the Lights, on whose certificates to that effect, payment will be made.

CAT ISLAND LIGHT.

Repairs to the Keeper's House.

Roof in many places requires new shingling. The gallery in front and on one side requires new sills, and two new posts, to correspond with the other posts, supporting the roof of the gallery.

Some new flooring to the gallery may be necessary, to replace the present floor where it may be unsound.

Two new cisterns to hold 2,000 gallons each, to be substantially hooped, to be 7½ feet high, and to rest on circular brick foundations one foot in the ground and one foot above, with suitable facets. Twelve feet of 3 inch tin conductor to lead from the gutter of the house to one of the cisterns, and to be properly connected with the gutter and cistern.

A fence to be made around the house, 650 running feet, to be 5 feet 6 inches in height; posts to be of light wood 8 by 8 square, 9 feet long and 8 feet apart. To be 4 feet in the ground. The railing to be of sawed yellow pine or cypress, one inch thick, 3 inches wide, 4½ feet long, and pointed at the upper end. To be 3¾ inches apart; to be well nailed on the stringers 3x4 with 12 penny cut nails, mortised in the posts. The base board to be 1½ inch thick and 12 inches wide. There are to be three gates 4 feet wide, well framed and substantially hung, with good and suitable fastenings. The style of the gates to correspond with that of the fence.

Hinges and proper fastenings are required for three of the Doors, and one of the windows of the House.

MANCHAC LIGHT HOUSE.

Repairs to roof, about 1600 shingles, to replace those decayed.

13 feet new copper gutters, with new fastenings for 76 feet gutters.

330 feet in length of breakwater, to protect the land on which the Light House stands from being washed away by the action of the water.

To be constructed as follows: Piles 12 feet long, 12 by 12, to be driven down 10 feet below the surface of the water and to be 10 feet apart. Two string-pieces, 12 by 12, with two inch plank driven down two feet each inside the plank 4 by 8 in. and bolted through above and below with inch screw bolts; 11 bars 15 feet long, 12 inches square, with cross ties 10 feet long.

The old breakwater around the Light House to be so repaired as to prevent the water from undermining it. This is to be done by facing the breakwater with 2½ inch plank, driven down five feet below the surface of the water, and extending five feet above, to be well bolted to the upper and lower stringers of said breakwater.

The whole space around the light-house, from the building to the breakwater, to be filled up with brickbats to a level with the present breakwater, and in like manner the new breakwater north and east of the house, to wit. 330 feet, is to be supported by filling up with brickbats four feet deep, and extending 10 feet from the breakwater.

The filling up around the light house and in the rear of the present breakwater, to be covered with four inches shells.

A new cistern, on brick foundation, to be furnished and put up, to hold 2500 gallons, to be substantially hooped, and with a suitable facet.

A shed to the front and to the back door, with shingled roof, 7 by 12, with four posts to each.

TCHEFUNCTA LIGHT.

Repairs of dwelling House.

A new Roof to be covered with shingles, one side with new rafters and sheathing. The roof to be extended over the front gallery. The roof measures 32x33 in front, and 1ex15 in the rear.

The Gable ends to be finished out to the front roof, and the gutters to be replaced.

A new kitchen to be erected 12x16 in the clear with one door and one window, with proper hinges and fastenings. The kitchen to be placed on brick pillars two feet high above the ground and with proper foundations. A brick chimney with 4½ feet fire place, and extending 4 feet above the roof. The old chimney to be removed.

Around the premises to be constructed, a fence 510 feet in length of the same description in every respect as that specified above, for the Cat Island Light, with three gates 4 feet wide, and also similarly constructed.

The works above described, must be commenced within 30 days, and be completed within 90 days, from the time the contracts may be entered into, and if not so commenced, the undersigned reserves the right to annul the contract with the person in default.

SAM. J. PETERS, Collector and superintendent of the Light Houses. j10 125j

Office of the General Sinking Fund.

THE Commissioners of the General Sinking Fund of the city of New Orleans, having, by judgment of the Fifth District Court, signed Nov. 12, 1849, recovered of the Commercial Bank the amount of dividends declared on the stock of the late Corporation of Mayor, Aldermen and inhabitants of the city of New Orleans, in the capital of said bank, agreeably to the 16th section of the act of the Legislature, approved 4th May, 1847, and said fund having also recovered the interest accruing on said dividends, agreeably to the judgment, the said General Sinking Fund having collected in cash and in notes, in satisfaction of said judgment, the sum of $129,979 73, which was agreeably to said judgment paid as follows: $128,356 88 in cash, and the balance in 62 interest coupons of the said Commercial Bank, and in notes of Municipality No. 1 and 3, bearing interest, and it being provided [illegible] of the said shareholders of [illegible] of the funds [illegible] of the Commercial Bank.

[illegible] hereby given to the holders of said bonds that the Commissioners of the General Sinking Fund, will receive until the 1st of April, 1850, proposals for the purchase and extinguishment of said bonds which were issued as aforesaid, for said stock, and dated June 29, 1833, and signed D. Prieur, Mayor, and N. Mercer, Recorder, for the sum of $1000 each, and are payable on the 29th June, 1873.

The said Sinking Fund reserving to itself the right of accepting such of said proposals which shall be deemed the most advantageous to the Sinking Fund.

Said proposals shall be left in the hands of Hon. A. D. Crossman, Mayor of the city of New Orleans and President of the Board of Commissioners of the General Sinking Fund of the city of New Orleans.

New Orleans, Dec. 19, 1849.

A. D. CROSSMAN, Mayor, President of Sinking Fund.

VICTOR, No. 16 St. Charles st.

Importer of French, English and American Goods

RESPECTFULLY informs his customers that he has just opened his stock of French Goods, received by ships Brunswick, Charon, Narragansett, Creole and Vesta, from Havre, which he offers for sale at wholesale or retail:

5 cases extra fine Silk Hats;
50 dozen fine Linen Shirts, new style;
50 do Cotton Shirts, linen bosoms;
70 dozen assorted Colored Shirts;
200 dozen Jouvin's Gloves, assorted colors.

A large assortment of black and colored Silk Cravats, under Shirts, knitted Drawers, white, Colored Linen Bosoms, Socks, gentlemen's Hdkfs, Ladies' do. garnished with Valenciennes; gentlemen's and ladies' fine Cases; Porte-Mahonies; ditto, fine Canes, do. double ? rings; Vests, sundry styles, corner in gold or silver, shells do shell Snuff Boxes, with frame in gold or silver; Combs of every description; every kind of Brushes; do Brushes and Hair do; a large assortment of Perfumery, Manufacture of Wigs, Toupees, and also, a large assortment of Hair for hair dressers.

n13 VICTOR, 16 St Charles st. between Canal and Common sts.

7th Vol. Howard's Reports, &c.

REPORTS of Cases Argued and Adjudged in the Supreme Court of the United States, vol. 7th, by Benjamin C. Howard, 1849.

HARE ON DISCOVERY, A Treatise on Discovery of Evidence, by Hill and Anerer, in Equity, by Thomas Hare, Esq., second American edition, with notes and references to American authorities, by Robert S. Rowley, Esq., 1849, just received and for sale by ALEX. LEVY & CO. j8 Law Booksellers and Stationers, Corner of Camp and Gravier sts.

Mexican Goods in Bond.

PRINTED MUSLINS; 9 8 English Prints, Cashmeres, Bayetas, Printed Flannels, Ceylon Cloths, Colored Cambricks, Fioretta paper, &c., &c. for sale at low prices, on accommodating terms, by j7 E. D. BLOSSMAN, No 12 Conti st.

CLARET IN BOXES—312 cases Claret, of the following brands: Chateau Lafitte, Chateau Leoville, Chateau Margaux, Chateau Latour, Chateau Chollot, Mouton, Batailley, St. Julien, quarts, St. Julien, pints. For sale by EUGENE ROCHEREAU & CO., j7 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

WINE, OIL, &c.—125 casks Red Wine, sundry brands; 75 do good family do; 1000 bxs Claret and White Wine; 25 do Burgundy do; 20 bxs dry Prunes, from 3 to 12 lbs; 600 baskets Flagniol Olive Oil, 24 ounces; 220 bxs Genoa Maccaroni and Vermicelli; 120 do Olives, Pickles, &c; 50 do superfine Liquor, Chateaux brand; 100 bxs Anisced, 12 bottles; 23 do Champagne Wine, Clignet brand, in store and for sale by B. TALAMON, j7 188 and 186 Royal st.

BRANDY—10 qr. pipes old brandy, Cognac, M. Betton, 1848; 10 qr. do. do. 1831, 1st proof; 50 qr. do. do. Champagne, 1831, 1st proof; 150 qr. do. sundry brands, in store and for sale by B. TALAMON, j7 188 and 186 Royal st.

SLATES—85,000 best Pointing Slates, to arrive by the Transit, from Liverpool, for sale on liberal terms, by J. P. WHITNEY & CO. j10 61 Camp street.

ST. GENEVIEVE LIME—[illegible] bbls St. Genevieve Marble Lime, for [illegible] for sale by BLOIS & PORTIER, 91 Magazine st.

PLASTERING HAIR—[illegible] bushels, Northern and Western Hair, for sale in lots to suit purchasers, by BLOIS & PORTIER, 91 Magazine st.

CIGARS—[illegible] Havana Cigars, landing ex brig Adams Gray, from Havana, and for sale by J. M. CABALLERO, 32 Old Levee.

70 WATER CASKS, from ship Radius, for sale on board. V. & E. MAIGNAN, j8 43 and 87 St. Louis st.

SARDINES AND GREEN PEAS—4 cases, 20 half boxes each, Sardines; 7 do 24 quarter do do Green Peas, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., j14 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

MADEIRA WINE—3 qr pipes superior Madeira Wine, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

CORDIALS—[illegible] cases Absynth, Kirsch and assorted Cordials, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., j14 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

BRANDY CHERRIES—[illegible] cases, 12 bottles each, Brandy Cherries, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., j14 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK, at sight, and at sixty days, for sale by SECCOMB & VOORHIES, j7 14 Tchoupitoulas st.

LIME—700 bbls. Western, in store, for sale low by [illegible], j10 [illegible] Tchoupitoulas street.

BRANDY CHERRIES—[illegible] cases Brandy Cherries, for sale by EUG. ROCHEREAU & CO., 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

LANDING—Ex ship Amerique, from Bordeaux—40 casks good ordinary Red Wine; 25 do White Wine; 15 [illegible], for sale by [illegible]

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CO-PARTNERSHIP.

AUCTION NOTICE—Copartnership.

THE undersigned have established themselves in the Auction business, for the sale of Real Estate, Slaves, Cargoes, Port Wardens, Successions, will act also as Brokers and Appraisers, and all business appertaining thereto under the firm of Bonneval & Benit. Office 34 Toulouse street, opposite the Citizens Bank. J. A. BONNEVAL, JULES BENIT. j8 6t

THE Copartnership between James Robb and Joshua Dixon, in New Orleans and New York, being terminated by mutual consent, the house in New York under the firm of Joshua Dixon & Co. ceases to exist. JAMES ROBB & CO. New Orleans, 31st December, 1849. j1

JOSHUA DIXON will continue the Exchange and Commission business on his own account, at 94 Gravier street, under the firm of JOSHUA DIXON & CO. jan1-15t

THE undersigned will practice Law in partnership under the name of OGDEN & DUNCAN, in the city of New Orleans, and in the District Court of the Parish of Jefferson. ROBERT N. OGDEN. GARNETT DUNCAN. ☞ Office No. 3 St. Charles st. 11m

THE undersigned having taken in partnership Mr. M. N. Borde, will continue business under the firm of Leopold Jeannet & Co. from this date. January 1st, 1850. LEOPOLD JEANNET.

THE undersigned, having associated with him his brother, Julius Cramer, will continue the same business as heretofore, under the firm of Cramer & Co. jan1-1m A. CRAMER.

REMOVALS.

Removal.

WM. ARMSTRONG informs the public and his friends, that he has removed his establishment of Hardware to No. 52 Old Levee street, between Conti and St. Louis, where he always will have on hand a complete assortment of French, English, and American GOODS, just received from the North. d31 12t

Removal.—P. A. LANAUZE & CO., Importers of Hardware, have removed their store to No. 30 OLD LEVEE, between St. Louis and Conti sts. d27-tm31

Removal.—LABORDE & XIQUES have removed to No. 3 Front street, between Canal and Crossman streets, opposite the steamboat landing, 1st Municipality. d5

French Consulate.

THE Chancery of the French Consulate has provisionally been removed to the corner of St. Anne and St. Claude streets. ☞ Entrance by St. Claude street. d31

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

☞ The ship BUENA VISTA, from Havre, is discharging opposite Post 25, 2d Municipality. Consignees are requested to attend to the receipt of their goods on the levee, and to take out their permits within five days, otherwise they will be sent to the public stores. j14 L. H. GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ The consignees of the following goods, to order, per ship Buena Vista, from Havre, will make themselves known to the undersigned or to the discharging clerk on the Levee, viz: Kribben, No. 3, one case; C E, one case; B & D, 20 baskets Wine; D & C, 50 baskets do; D L, 50 do do, A L and A L; P under, 100 do do. j14 LEVI H. GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ The following persons, consignees of mdze, per ship BUENA VISTA, will please make their residences known to the undersigned, or to the discharging clerk, on the Levee: Messrs. E. Bourcy, Blondell, G. Bourdier, Marc Curel, J. Delenotte, Trouble J. Vonet, and Mrs. Moller. j14 LEVI H. GALE, 93 Common st.

☞ *Average Bond.*—Consignees per ship MICHAEL ANGELO, from Boston, are hereby notified and requested to call at our office and sign the average bond, as their goods cannot be delivered until the bond is signed. J. P. WHITNEY & CO., 61 Camp st.

☞ Ship LAPLAND, Capt. Simpson, from Liverpool, is ready to discharge cargo opposite the Vegetable Market, First Municipality. Consignees will please get out their permits and attend to the receipt of their goods on the Levee. All goods not permitted within five days, will be sent to the public stores at the risk and expense of the owners thereof. J. P. WHITNEY & CO., 61 Camp st. j10

CUBA TOBACCO—60 bales Cuba Tobacco, entitled to debenture, for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, 31 Old Levee.

YARA TOBACCO—Of superior quality, for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, 31 Old Levee.

VUELTA ABAJO TOBACCO—Wrappers and fillers, for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, 31 Old Levee.

TOBACCO—63 bales Vuelta de Abajo, for Wrappers and Fillers, landing ex brig Cyclops, from Havana, for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, j10 28 Old Levee.

LEAF TOBACCO—36 bales Vuelta de Abajo Tobacco, for wrappers and fillers, in store, and for sale by LABORDE & XIQUES, d14 No. 3 Front st.

GAMBLE & BOYLE, No. 6 Bienville street, are now receiving per the Acadian, Calcutta and Virginia, from Liverpool, the following, suited to the Mexican trade:

9 fancy Prints; 9-8 printed Muslins and Organdies; 4-4 Cambrics and Jaconets; 5-4 Salisbury Thread; Britannias and Estopillas; Toile and Linen Brins; Creas Legitimas; Fancy Cotton and Linen Drills; 4-4 Imperials; Bayetas de Cama Hdkfs; Printed Flannels; Cassimeres and Cloths; Printed and Turkey Red Hdkfs; 3-4, 7-8 and 4-4 colored Satteens; fancy Cantoons; English Silk Cords.

They have also the following, which they invite the attention of buyers to:

4-4 Linen Shirtings of all qualities; 10-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Linen Sheetings; Long Lawns; Printed Lawns; Linen Checks and Ginghams; Osnaburgs, Burlaps and Hessians; 8-4 and 10-4 Table Damask; Damask Napkins and Cloths; Birdseye Diapers and Towelings; Huckabacks; Fancy White and Brown Linen Drills; Planters' Linens; Turn Sheetings; Cambric Hdkfs, for gentlemen and ladies; Sewing Silks, assorted; Laces and Edgings; Gala Plaid Shawls; Cashmere Shawls; 12-4 White Bobinet; Linen Nettings; Tape Check, Berne and Book Muslins; Victoria Lawns; 6-4 White Cambrics; Turkey Red Prints, small figures; Knitting Cottons; Ginghams, solid and fancy; Colored Linings; Brown Hollands; Patent Thread, &c. &c. with a constant supply of Alexander's best water-twist Spool Cotton on hand. d20 1m

SPRING GOODS—Entitled to Debenture—Landing ex ships Manchester and Radius, from Havre, and for sale at very low prices by the subscribers:

3 cases Organdies and Pompadour Gauze, Dolfus Mieg & Co;
2 do New fancy Jaconets, Dolfus Mieg & Co;
3 do Organdies and Gauze Grenadier, Roman & Co;
3 do Jaconets, small drawings, Roman & Co;
2 do New fancy Organdies, Hartman & fils.
H de GOER & RIFFLARD, j5 21 Magazine st.

Goods for the Mexican Market.

Entitled to Debenture.

20 Cases Cotton balls, all numbers; 20 cases Spool Thread, 100 and 200 yds; 2.00 gross Pearl Shirt Buttons.

The above will be sold cheap for cash.

LOVE & HOGG, At their Hardware, Cutlery and Fancy Store, j4m3 106 Poydras st.

LEECHES.

LARGE assortment of Austrian and Marquais LEECHES, just arrived per ship Antweritz, from Havre. For sale by PROVOST, j3-6m 230 Bourbon st., bet'n Dumaine & St Ann.

Alpaca Lusters, &c. &c.

THE subscriber offers to merchants in the city or country a large stock of ALPACA LUSTERS, of all qualities, in black and colors from 18 c. to $1 per yard.

Also, fancy colored Wool Bereges, fancy Paris Dresses, Galla Plaids, solid changeable Silks, fine oil colored Ginghams, black and white Ginghams, &c. &c. J. H. PALMER, j3 36 Gravier street.

RECEIVED per ship Amerique, from Bordeaux, and for sale by the subscribers—
30 casks St. Julien and St. Estephe and Pope Clement Red Wine, sundry kinds;
20 half casks Sauterne White Wine;
50 boxes Pope Clement 1841 Claret, 12 bottles each;
15 do Bergerac Sweet White Wine;
35 do Fruits, in juice: Peaches, Apricots, Pears, Strawberries, Merabelle's Prunes, Th Peneaud bottles and half do;
25 cases of 100 half boxes Sardines, Th Peneaud brand;
15 cases Mushrooms, Green Peas, Truffled Pies, and other preserves.
j9 LOREILHE & CO., corner Royal and Customhouse sts.

Winter Goods Reduced.

REGULAR WHOLESALE DRY GOODS TRADE.

THE undersigned, with a view to make room for a large and early spring business, has reduced the prices of all kinds of WINTER GOODS, (in some instances,) below the Northern markets, viz: Woollen Flannels, Plaid Linseys, blue and mixed Jeans, Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinetts, blankets, Kerseys, &c.

ALSO—More than 3000 pieces of dark printed Calicoes. J. H. PALMER, 36 Gravier st. j10

Selling off at Cost to Close Concern.

SILK and Lace goods, Embroideries, Hosiery, Chintzes, and, in general, French and Domestic Goods sold at the real cost price. The undersigned, being about liquidating their retail Dry Goods Store, No. 73 Canal street, offer to sell at cost all their winter goods and all their stock in general, comprising French Blankets and Merinos, and every variety of Fancy and Staple Goods, all of recent importation. E. VALMONT & CO., j10 No. 73 Canal street, corner of Post Office Alley.

Positive Liquidation.

THE subscribers having business and wishing to sell their stock of Dry Goods without the shortest delay, inform the public that they have reduced the prices of all the goods in their store, and solicit those who wish to buy cheap to give them a call.

PAUL ALDIGE & CO. j4 6w Red House, between the two markets

Madame Maugey,

Accoucheuse from Paris, and now in New Orleans, corner of Bourbon and St. Anne sts.

HAS the honor to inform the Ladies of the city that she has prepared apartments for the reception of those who may desire to avail themselves of her services at her own residence. The same success obtained by Madame Maugey in the treatment of diseases peculiar to women, has induced her to resume consultations at her house from 1 o'clock P. M. to 3 P. M., every day.

Patients may rely upon the most profound secrecy and a medical care of their disorders. o19-ly

HAVANA CIGARS—Landing ex brig Cyclops and in store, a large assortment of the best brands—for sale by J. M. BICULFI & CO. j3 17 Common st.

LANDING—Ex ship Radius, from Havre—[illegible] baskets Champaign, Blue Angels, quarts; 25 do do pints. For sale by EUG ROCHEREAU & CO. 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

SAUSAGES—[illegible] boxes Lyon Sausages, in store and for sale by J. & J. TARDOS, 31 Old Levee.

SEGARS—30,000 Regalias, different brands, landing ex brig Cyclops, from Havana, and for sale by TROISGROS & LAMPRE, 26 Old Levee.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

Notice.

BEING informed that a rumor was circulating in New Orleans, that there was a note of four thousand dollars signed by B. Landreaux and me, and endorsed by Mr. Villeneuve LeBlanc, I declare that rumor false, and I advertise the public not to receive in payment, or negotiate said note, as having never signed one of such amount, I will not pay it at maturity. AUGUSTIN LeBLANC. West Baton Rouge, January 10, 1850. j12 15t

IMPROVEMENT AND BANKING CO., New Orleans, January 10, 1850.

WHEREAS, it appears, on the final account of this Institution, that the creditors by deposits and circulation, proved in the Third District Court, are entitled to a second dividend of 5 2 100 per cent. Notice is hereby given to said creditors, that said dividend will be paid at the office of the Liquidatory commissioners in St. Louis street, from and after Monday, 14th January, 1850, from 10 o'clock A. M. to 2 o'clock, P. M.

By order of the Board of Commissioners, j12 L. BERNARD, Secretary.

AT the annual meeting of the New Orleans Chamber of Commerce, on the 7th inst, the following gentlemen, members thereof, were chosen officers for the current year:

President, L. MATTHEWS.
1st Vice President, Jno. M. Bell, 2d Vice President, Ch's Briggs.
Geo. A. Holt, J. A. Barrell, J. O. Woodruff, J. H. Owen, J. W. Carroll, William Mure — Committee of Appeal.
Secretary, Ch's J. Mansoni. j11

Notice.

THE public is hereby informed that from this day I revoke the power of attorney which I had given to Mr. F Samson, for the administration of the affairs I had trusted him with.

New Orleans, January 9, 1850. j11-6t 3pw. VILLENEUVE LeBLANC.

UNION BANK OF LOUISIANA, New Orleans Jan. 10, 1850.

THE Annual Election of Directors by the Stockholders of this institution will be held at the Banking House on Monday, 4th February next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M. FREDERICK FREY, Cashier. j11 feb4

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having purchased the stock and active debts of the store called the "Panier Fleuri," situated at the corner of Royal and St. Louis streets, respectfully informs the public that he will continue the same line of business, and that all the debts due to said store will be recovered in his name. j10-6t ADOLPHE BLACHE.

City Bank.

New Orleans, January 5, 1850.

NOTICE—With a view to the speedy withdrawal from circulation of all the notes of this Bank, the charter of which will expire on the 1st day of May next, the holders of the notes are requested to present them for redemption at the counter of the Bank as early as practicable.

By order of the Board. j7-3m R. J. PALFREY, Cashier.

Female Orphan Society.

THE annual meeting of the subscribers of the Female Orphan Society will be held at the Poydras Asylum, on Wednesday, 16th inst., between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock, for the purpose of electing managers to serve the ensuing year. j7-10t

Bank of Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, December 31st 1849.

THE annual Election of Directors by the stockholders of this institution will be held at the Banking House on MONDAY, 28th of January, between the hours of 11 A. M., and 2 P. M. j1 R. M. DAVIS, Cashier.

Mechanics' and Traders' Bank.

NEW ORLEANS, 28th Dec. 1849.

THE Stockholders of this Bank are notified that the annual election of the Directors of this institution will take place on MONDAY, 28th January, at the office of the Bank, on Canal street, from 10 o'clock, A. M., to 2 o'clock, P. M. d27 G. CRUZAT, Cashier.

AMERICAN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THIS Company has an invested capital of more than one million of dollars after paying off the scrip issued in 1846, of $297,440—and additional amounts of more than seven hundred thousand dollars. Marine River and Fire Risks continue to be taken at the office corner of Camp and Common streets, January 1st, 1850. j1 L. MATTHEWS, Agent.

THE heirs or relations of Dona Veronica Campbre, of Matanzas, deceased, may learn something to their advantage by applying to F. A. LULING, Office 13 Duncan's new Buildings, between Conti, Toulouse and Bienville streets.

WANTED, LOST, &c.

ANY person knowing anything as to the whereabouts or death of FRANCIS MACDONALD SCHNELL, who came to this port in March last on the ship Arlington, will oblige the undersigned by giving information to WM. MURE, Esq., H. B. M. Consul, 118 Common street, New Orleans. j10

MR. JAMES SOUTHALL, East India Company Pensioner, residing somewhere in St. Philip street, is requested to call immediately on WM. MURE, Esq., H. B. M. Consul, 118 Common st.

Found—In the river, opposite the Beef Market, a YAWL, which belonging probably to a seagoing boat. The owner is requested to claim her at 104 Old Levee, between Madison and Main streets, and pay the charges. j10-6t

LOST OR MISLAID—Certificate No. 739, for Two Shares of the Merchants' Bank Capital, issued the 16th day of August, 1842, under the name of Mr. P. Roesch. The public is informed that a demand has been made to obtain a new certificate. d5 lawfw

FOR Sale or Hire—An American mulatto WOMAN, about 25 years old, good American cook, house servant, and something of a seamstress. She will be sold under a full guaranty. Apply to P. F. COMER & CO., Corner Bienville & Chartres st.

STOVE—A large second-hand Stove (used but a few days), suitable for steamboat cabin or counting room, for sale by EMERSON, TOURNE & CO., d18 No. 158 Tchoupitoulas st.

DETAINED in the parish of St. Charles, the slave ROBIN, belonging to M. Chenaud, of the parish of St. John the Baptist. Said boy is aged about 21 years, measures 5 feet 6 inches and has an iron ring on his [illegible]. The owner is hereby requested to claim said slave according to law. Parish of St. Charles, Jan. 11, 1849. j14 1m N. T. MARTIN, Sheriff.

For Sale—A very fine HORSE, without fault, perfectly trained to Carriage or Saddle. Apply at 183 Conti Street.

Caps! Caps!! Caps!!!

The undersigned has just received on consignment a lot of Cloth, Silk, Plush and Glazed CAPS—latest fashions, which he offers for sale at moderate prices for cash. j15 1m M. BARNETT & CO., 13 Camp st.

HATS AND CAPS—1000 cases Hats and Caps, comprising a complete assortment of men's black and drab Russia, Silk, Sporting, Mexican and California Hats. Also, boys and negro Hats and Caps, for sale by d18 1m R. G. HOBBS, 12 Customhouse st.

CAPS! CAPS!!—Fur, hair, seal, cloth and glazed Caps and Wool Hats. For sale by FROST & CO., j1 10 Magazine street.

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS—996 cases, now landing from ships Wave, Gen. Green and Michael Angelo, comprising an assortment of fine and common goods, for sale by j14 G. W. DUNBAR, 30 Customhouse st.

BOOTS, SHOES & BROGANS—216 cases, landing from ships Beatrice, Union and Margaret—for sale by R. G. HOBBS, j7 12 Customhouse st.

WOOLEN SOCKS—100 dozen country knit Woolen Socks, for sale by FROST & CO., 10 Magazine st.

CANVASS HATS—50 doz. canvass covered Hats, just received and for sale by d11 FROST & CO., 10 Magazine st.

DITCHING BOOTS—100 cases prime Ditching Boots, for sale by FROST & CO., d1 10 Magazine st.

Cauliflower and Radish Seed.

THE subscriber has just received, per ship Radius, from Havre, a lot of superior Cauliflower seed, Also, 800 lbs the assorted Radish, consisting of Long, Scarlet, Red Lump, and Red ½ Long do; For sale in lots to suit purchasers. D. MAUPAY, j7 95 Camp st., near Poydras.

Cheap Fruit Trees, PLANTS AND SHRUBBERY.

THE subscriber has on hand a large stock of Plants and Shrubbery, which he will sell lower than any other house in this city.

Orders for Fruit, Ornamental Trees, Plants and Shrubbery from the celebrated Nursery of Prouveret & Reichbornwillers, will be promptly attended to. WM. DINN, Agent, 29 Canal st. d14 New Buildings on the Levee.

Seeds, Flowers, &c.

THE subscriber has just received per ships Oxenbridge, Caledonia Brander and Hero—20,000 Giant Asparagus roots, 3 years old; 500 roots fine double Dahlias; 200 Rhubarb roots; 6 varieties Northern seed Corn. Also—50 bushels best English Peas, consisting of Early Washington, large Marrowfat, Blue Imperial, and Double blossom Early Frame, Field Peas, consisting of Millet, Red Clover, White Clover, Herd grass &c. D. MAUPAY, j14 Seedsman, 95 Camp st., near Poydras.

Garden Farm and Flower Seeds—Warranted the growth of 1849.

The very best quality, in all kinds, &c., direct importation, put up in assorted boxes for plantations, and sold by the pound and bushel for market Gardeners, by the dozen, hundred, or thousand papers for dealers, all guaranteed.

Also, all kinds of Plants and Shrubbery, at lower prices than any other house in this city. Apply at the Seed Store, No. 29 Canal street, new buildings on the Levee.

n23 3m WM. DINN, Agent.

HOLLAND GIN.

The subscriber, sole importer of the celebrated Swanshead Brand, now offers for sale—350 pipes of this superior article, landing from the brig Hope, in lots to suit purchasers, and on accommodating terms. JAMES FLINT, 35 Common st.

PLASTER—700 bbls Newark and Roundale, Wetherspoon's and Cyston, landing and to arrive—for sale by BAYMAN & BOLDEN, 88 Magazine st. and 11 Bank stores.

CHOCOLATE—60 boxes best celebrated Henson's Chocolate, for sale by E J HART & CO., 73 Tchoupitoulas st.

BRANDY—40 qr pipes and 20 qrs J Augustin brand, 4th proof, landing ex ship Cephalide, from Bordeaux, for sale by RAYMOND CABUZAC 24 Old Levee st.

KID GLOVES—The undersigned have just received, per ship [illegible], from Havre, 500 doz. best quality of kid Gloves, manufactured to their own order. P. & E. REILLY, Cor. Canal and Royal sts.

FIRE CRACKERS—300 boxes, landing from ship Hero, for sale by E. J. HART & CO., 73 Tchoupitoulas st.

CLARET, IN CASES—150 cases and 8 half do, of the following brands: Latour, Chateau Margaux, Saint Estephe, Medoc, St. Julien, Grayrac, for sale by [illegible], 17 and 19 St. Louis st.

HAVANA SEGARS—[illegible] brig [illegible] J. H. BICULFI & CO., 17 Common st.

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